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By: Deborah Barragan

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Applicant	:	Lital Alfonta, et al.	
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Commissioner for Patents
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APPLICANTS INTERVIEW SUMMARY

Dear Sir:

Applicant provides herewith the following Interview Summary to be made of record in the above-identified case:

Participants: Examiner Kagnew H. Gebreyesus and Attorney Gary Baker

Date of Interview: March 31, 2011

Interview Type: Telephonic

Claims discussed: Independent claims 31 and 47

Description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

Applicants appreciate that Examiner Gebreyesus took the initiative to move this case forward by calling and offering suggestions on what are deemed allowable claims in this case.

The Examiner suggested that if the “or” in clause ii) in claim 31 were to be amended to “and” the claim would be allowable. The Examiner offered to make such an Examiner’s

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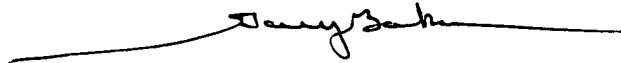
amendment, and Applicant's Mr. Baker agreed.

Further amendments would include cancellation of claim 47 and dependents. Claim 51 would be cancelled and claim 55 made dependent on claim 31.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would further expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at 510-769-3510

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Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gary Baker", is written over a horizontal line.

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